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TO: All Bidders

FROM: City of Cambridge

DATE: April 26, 2021

RE: File No. 9673 - Water Meters, Registers and Other Hardware – Addendum No. 1

This addendum is comprised of:

1. Bidders questions
2. Image attached for question number 2
3. Previous bid tab sheet attached

The following questions were submitted and answered:

Question No. 1

How many of the turbine meters of each size were purchased last year? Is this expected to increase or decrease this year?

Answer No. 1

Zero were purchased. Unsure if quantity will increase.

Question No. 2

Pertaining to the hydrant meters, is there any special order of assembly for the gate valve and check valve? In other words, does it make a difference if the check valve is located before or after the valve on the outlet side of the meter?

Answer No. 2

Yes, gate valve must be before check valve – see picture attached.

Question No. 3

The hydrant meter specification requires a 3" hydrant meter, but the check valve and gate valve are only 2" in size. If a 3" hydrant meter is supplied, can the outlet port be reduced to 2" to accommodate the smaller valves?"

Answer No. 3

Yes, the outlet port can be reduced



Question No. 4

Ferguson waterworks was the successful low bidder last year for the water meters. We would like to submit our proposal using the Elinx bottom load Multijet meter that the City of Cambridge has used in the past. We would also like to provide a price on the Master Meter Octave Ultrasonic Meter in lue of the turbine meters listed. Just one of the key advantages is the warranty and low flow capabilities. The Ultrasonic meter has a 10 year warranty on the accuracy where the turbo meters only have 1 year in most cases. Please let me know if this will be considered as an approved equal.

Answer No. 4

CWD will reject any meters that are not compatible with STAR software. The vendor should be able to show they have provided the same meters to another entity who used them successfully with Star software. References shall be required.

All other details remain the same.

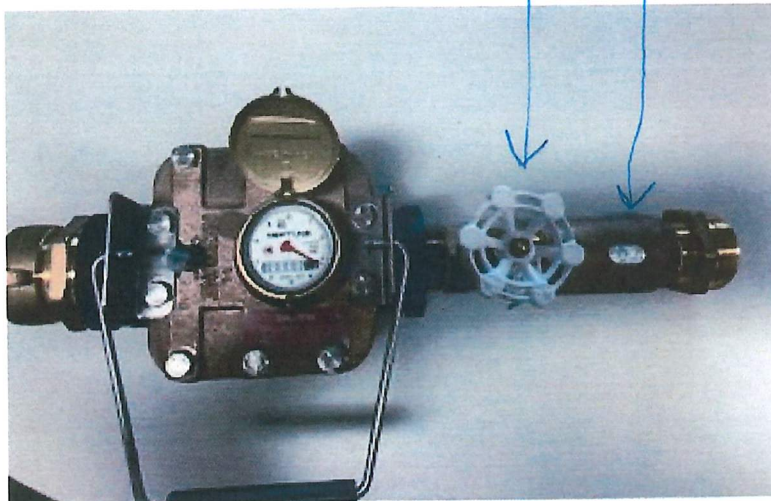


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Addendum No. 1

Gate valve

check valve



File No 9002

Date: 2/20/2020

Commodity: Water Meters, registers and other hardware

		Everett J Prescott Inc	Ferguson Water Works	Ti Sales
DESCRIPTION	QTY			
Section 1				
5/8 x 3/4 meter	200	\$109.00	\$100.36	\$104.51
		\$21,800.00	\$20,072.00	\$20,902.00
3/4 meter)9')	200	\$144.00	\$133.66	\$165.28
		\$28,800.00	\$26,732.00	\$33,056.00
1" pd meter	100	\$188.50	\$193.33	\$231.89
		\$18,850.00	\$19,333.00	\$23,189.00
1 1/2 pd meter	50	\$560.00	\$1,119.00	\$443.30
		\$28,000.00	\$55,950.00	\$22,165.00
2 pd meter	50	\$590.00	\$1,119.00	\$553.84
		\$29,500.00	\$55,950.00	\$27,692.00
Section 2	10	\$1,313.00	\$1,095.92	\$1,252.43
3" Fire Hydrant Meters		\$13,130.00	\$10,959.20	\$12,524.30
Section 3				
3" Turbine Meter	1	\$1,070.00	\$1,744.00	\$2,322.22
4" Turbine Meter	1	\$1,870.00	\$2,060.50	\$3,199.01
6" Turbine Meter	1	\$3,250.00	\$3,849.00	\$5,414.23